HUNTINGTON BEACH OFFICE OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

TO: Zoning Administrator

FROM: Hayden Beckman, Planning Aide

September 18, 2013 DATE:

SUBJECT: COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 13-013 (JOHNSON RESIDENCE

ADDITION)

LOCATION: 16792 Coral Cay Lane, 92649 (west of Coral Cay Lane, south of Courtside

Circle)

Jay Earl, Jay Earl Designs, 16541 Marina Circle, Huntington Beach, CA

92649

Property

Applicant:

Owner: Rich and Lynn Johnson, 16792 Coral Cay Lane, Huntington Beach, CA

92649

Request: To permit an increase of more than 10% of internal floor area for an

> approximately 766 sq. ft. second story addition including two new balconies (approximately 22 sq. ft. and 55 sq. ft.) and a new 208 sq. ft. first floor covered entryway with privacy wall on a property located within the Coastal

Zone.

Environmental Status: This request is covered by Categorical Exemption, Section 15301,

Class 1, California Environmental Quality Act.

Zone: RL- CZ (Residential Low Density – Coastal Zone)

General Plan: RL-7 (Residential Low Density – 7 du/ ac max.)

Existing Use: Single-Family Residence

the following findings:

RECOMMENDATION: Staff recommends approval of the proposed project based upon

SUGGESTED FINDINGS FOR PROJECTS EXEMPT FROM CEQA:

The Zoning Administrator finds that the project will not have any significant effect on the environment and is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to section 15301 of the CEQA Guidelines, because the project consists of an addition to an existing structure that will not result in an increase of more than 50 percent of the floor area.

<u>SUGGESTED FINDINGS FOR APPROVAL - COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 13-</u>013:

- 2. Coastal Development Permit No. 13-013 to permit an increase of more than 10% of internal floor area for an approximately 766 sq. ft. second story addition including two new balconies (approximately 22 sq. ft. and 55 sq. ft.) and a new 208 sq. ft. first floor covered entryway with privacy wall to an existing two-story single-family residence conforms to the General Plan, including the Local Coastal Program Land Use Designation of Residential Low Density. The project is consistent with Coastal Element Land Use Policy C 1.1.1 to encourage new development to locate within, contiguous to or in close proximity to existing developed areas able to accommodate it. The proposed construction will occur on a developed site, contiguous to existing residential development.
- 3. The project is consistent with the requirements of the CZ Overlay District, the base zoning district, as well as other applicable provisions of the Municipal Code. The addition will comply with all applicable development regulations, including minimum on-site parking, maximum building height, and minimum yard setbacks.
- 4. At the time of occupancy the proposed development can be provided with infrastructure in a manner that is consistent with the Local Coastal Program. The proposed addition will be constructed on a previously developed site in an urbanized area with all necessary services and infrastructure available, including water, sewer, and roadways.
- 4. The development conforms with the public access and public recreation policies of Chapter 3 of the California Coastal Act. The project will not impede public access, recreation, or views to coastal resources.

SUGGESTED CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL - COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 13-013:

- 1. The site plan, floor plans, and elevations received and dated September 12, 2013 shall be the conceptually approved design.
- Prior to submittal for building permits, zoning entitlement conditions of approval shall be printed verbatim on one of the first three pages of all the working drawing sets used for issuance of building permits (architectural, structural, electrical, mechanical, and plumbing) and shall be referenced in the sheet index. The minimum font size utilized for printed text shall be 12 point.

- 3. Prior to issuance of building permits, staff shall stamp the demo/infill requirements on the plans.
- 4. During demolition, grading, site development, and/or construction, the following shall be adhered to:
 - a. No more than 50 percent of the existing walls shall be demolished per demolition plans dated May 14, 2012.
 - Construction equipment shall be maintained in peak operating condition to reduce emissions.
 - c. Use low sulfur (0.5%) fuel by weight for construction equipment.
 - d. Truck idling shall be prohibited for periods longer than 10 minutes.
 - e. Attempt to phase and schedule activities to avoid high ozone days first stage smog alerts.
 - f. Discontinue operation during second stage smog alerts.
 - g. Ensure clearly visible signs are posted on the perimeter of the site identifying the name and phone number of a field supervisor to contact for information regarding the development and any construction/grading activity.
- 5. The final building permit cannot be approved until the following has been completed:
 - a. All improvements must be completed in accordance with approved plans, except as provided for by conditions of approval.
 - b. Compliance with all conditions of approval specified herein shall be verified by the Planning & Building Department.
 - c. All building spoils, such as unusable lumber, wire, pipe, and other surplus or unusable material, shall be disposed of at an off-site facility equipped to handle them.
- 6. Coastal Development Permit No. 13-013 shall become null and void unless exercised within <u>two</u> years of the date of final approval or such extension of time as may be granted by the Director pursuant to a written request submitted to the Planning and Building Department a minimum 30 days prior to the expiration date.
- 7. Incorporating sustainable or "green" building practices into the design of the proposed structures and associated site improvements is highly encouraged. Sustainable building practices may include (but are not limited to) those recommended by the U.S. Green Building Council's Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Program certification (http://www.usgbc.org/DisplayPage.aspx?CategoryID=19) or Build It Green's Green Building Guidelines and Rating Systems http://www.builditgreen.org/green-building-quidelines-rating).

INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS CONDITION:

The owner of the property which is the subject of this project and the project applicant if different from the property owner, and each of their heirs, successors and assigns, shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City of Huntington Beach and its agents, officers, and employees from any claim, action or proceedings, liability cost, including attorney's fees and costs against the City or its agents, officers or employees, to attack, set aside, void or annul any approval of the City, including but not limited to any approval granted by the City Council, Planning Commission, or Design Review Board concerning this project. The City shall promptly notify the applicant of any claim, action or proceeding and should cooperate fully in the defense thereof.